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**TO: ALL CALIFORNIA CHILDREN'S SERVICES (CCS)
ADMINISTRATORS AND MEDICAL CONSULTANTS,
SUPERVISING/CHIEF THERAPISTS, STATE CHILDREN'S MEDICAL
SERVICES (CMS) BRANCH STAFF, AND REGIONAL OFFICE STAFF**

**SUBJECT: UPCOMING EARLY AND PERIODIC SCREENING, DIAGNOSIS,
AND TREATMENT SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICE TRANSITION
TRAINING**

This CCS Information Notice is to announce upcoming trainings on the Early and Periodic, Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment Supplemental Service (EPSDT SS) transition. Responsibility for review and determination of EPSDT SS requests will be delegated to independent county CCS programs and CMS Regional Offices through several Numbered Letters. The purpose of this training is to provide you with additional guidance and clarification relating to the Numbered Letters including the process for review and authorization of EPSDT SS. Anticipated release of the numbered letters is late May or early June 2005.

Training will be held at four different sites during June 2005.

June 16, 2005
8:30 AM to 1 PM
San Bernardino County Government Center
Board Chambers, First Floor
385 North Arrowhead Avenue
San Bernardino, CA 92415-1002

June 22, 2005
8:30 AM to 1 PM
Elihu Harris State Building
1515 Clay Street, Conference Room One
Oakland, CA 94612

June 27, 2005
8:30 AM to 1 PM
East End Complex
1500 Capital Avenue
Building 172 Auditorium
Sacramento, CA 95814

June 29, 2005
12:30 PM to 4:30 PM
Los Angeles County California Children's Services
Conference Room 201/205
9320 Telstar Avenue, Suite 226
El Monte, CA 91731-2849

Participants are encouraged to read the Numbered Letters prior to attending the training, and bring any questions or clarifications desired.

County CCS program staff and CMS Regional Office are welcome to attend any of the trainings. The agenda is enclosed for your convenience.

Pre-registration is requested for number of attendees only. Please provide CMS Branch with the number of participants attending from each county and Regional Office by email, to gplummer@dhs.ca.gov or by fax, at (916) 327-1144. Submit pre-registration by June 10, 2005

If you have any questions, please contact Galynn Plummer Thomas, at (916) 327-2299.

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Enclosures